

## DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.
9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.
11. Public health.
12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock; failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

## BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

*Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.*      *Current.*

Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	7·41	7·47	Quantity per rupee by
Ragi	14·12	13·40	the standard seer of
Rangoon rice (2nd sort) .....	7·47	80 tolas.	

*Agricultural operations.*—Thrashing of floor is going on.

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—The harvesting of ragi, horse gram, paddy, avare and togari is reported to be in progress in some parts of the district.

Sugar-cane is being harvested in some parts of Bangalore, Dodballapur and Devanhalli Taluks.

*State of standing crops.*—The standing crops, such as paddy, sugar-cane, potatoes, avare, mulberry, togari and castor are reported to be in a good condition. In parts of Channapatna Taluk, avare and togari are estimated to yield a poor harvest, being only about 2 annas.

*Crops harvested and their outturn.*—Bangalore Taluk—sugar-cane 6 to 8 annas; Hoskote Taluk—ragi 4 to 10 annas and horse gram 6 annas; Dodballapur Taluk—ragi 4 to 12 annas and paddy 4 to 12 annas; Nelamangala Taluk—paddy 4 to 12 annas; Magadi Taluk—ragi 8 to 12 annas and paddy 6 to 8 annas; Anekal Taluk—paddy 4 to 12 annas.

10. The prospect of the season is good. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in a few villages of Bangalore, Hoskote, Magadi, Anekal, Devanhalli Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in harvesting horse gram and sugar-cane in almost all the taluks.

*Crops harvested and their outturn.*—Horse gram and sugar-cane in all the taluks, yield about 8 to 10 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Jola, sugar-cane and potatoes in parts of Chintamani, Chikballapur, Srinivaspur Taluks are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food stuffs continue to be high. Labour is available to cooly classes.

11. There have been a few cases of plague in parts of Bowringpet, Malur, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur Taluks and Kolar Gold Fields. Otherwise public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

## TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in Maddagiri and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk; jola in Maddagiri Taluk; wheat in Pavagada Taluk and sugar-cane in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Tumkur Taluk—paddy 4 to 8 annas, horse gram 8 annas, togari 4 annas; Maddagiri Taluk—horse gram, tobacco, kadale, sugar-cane, ground-nuts and chillies; Chiknayakanhalli Taluk—horse gram, kadale, jola and castor; Sira Taluk—kadale 4 annas; Gubbi Taluk—horse gram 8 to 12 annas, avare 2 annas, togari 2 annas; Tiptur Taluk—castor 4 to 8 annas; Pavagada Taluk—togari, avare, horse gram, castor and cotton; Kunigal Taluk—paddy 8 annas, avare 4 annas, horse gram 4 to 10 annas, chillies 4 annas; Koratagere Sub-Taluk—castor 4 to 8 annas, sugar-cane 8 to 12 annas, groundnuts 4 to 8 annas; Turuvekere Sub-Taluk—castor 8 annas, avare 8 annas, togari 8 annas.

*Standing crops.*—Paddy, kadale, avare, togari, sugar-cane, jola, castor, cotton, wheat, horse gram, coriander are reported to be generally in fair condition; jola crop in parts of Chiknayakanhalli is said to be withering for want of moisture, while black gram sown in tank beds in Sira Taluk is said to be attacked by insects.

10. Prospects of the season are generally fair, except in parts of Sira and Pavagada Taluks. Food stuffs are generally available. Insufficiency of drinking water is felt in parts of Pavagada, Sira and Maddagiri Taluks.

11. Except for plague in Tumkur town, public health is reported to be generally good.

12. Except for 'Dodda roga' in Pavagada town and Badikegudlu village of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available at present, but scarcity for the same is apprehended, as summer advances in parts of Sira, Pavagada and Maddagiri Taluks.

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8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Paddy, ragi, haraka, togari, avare, jola, sugar-cane, castor, mulberry, Bengal gram, cotton and horse gram are reported to be in a fairly good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Mysore Taluk—paddy, ragi, togari, avare and horse gram; Chamrajnagar Taluk—kadale, horse gram, paddy, jola and ragi; Seringapatam Taluk—sugar cane; Hunsur Taluk—horse gram 8 annas; Yedatore Taluk—castor and Bengal gram; Heggaddevankote Taluk—castor 8 annas; Gundlupet Taluk—horse gram, paddy, Bengal gram, avare and castor; Nanjangud Taluk—Bengal gram and avare; T.-Narsipur Taluk—castor 6 annas and togari 4 annas; Malvalli Taluk—ragi; Nagamangala Taluk—Bengal gram, paddy and sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of season are reported to be good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Plague is reported to be prevalent in parts of the Mysore, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet and T.-Narsipur Taluks.

12. Except for 'Dodda roga' in parts of the Mysore Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

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8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Progeess of agricultural operations.*—Avare, kar paddy, sugar-cane and castor in the Hassan Taluk; avare, castor and kadale in the Arkalgud Taluk; avare, castor and sugar-cane in the Belur Taluk; sugar-cane, paddy and horse gram in the Channarayapatna Taluk; avare, castor and Bengal gram in the Arsikere Taluk; avare in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and sugar-cane in the Alur Sub-Taluk are reported to be in a fairly good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Togari, avare and kadale in the Arkalgud Taluk; horse gram, sugar-cane, castor, togari and avare in the Belur Taluk; paddy, horse gram and sugar-cane in the Channarayapatna Taluk; paddy and sugar-cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are being harvested.

10. Prospects of season are generally good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in the towns of Hassan and Belur and in the villages of Grama and Halebede.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder available.

## SHIMOGA.

8. Market is well supplied.  
 9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in the taluks of Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sagar and Tirthahalli.

*Standing crops.*—Bengal gram and yennigar-jola in the Channagiri Taluk and sugar-cane in the Nagar Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Togari is being harvested in the Channagiri Taluk and sugar-cane is being milled in taluks of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli.

10. Prospects of the season are good.  
 11. Public health is generally good, but plague in parts of Shimoga, Honnali and Shikarpur Taluks; small-pox in a few villages of the Sorab and Sagar Taluks and cholera at Kohalli in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk are reported to be prevalent.  
 12. Fodder and water are available. Cattle are generally healthy, but Rinderpest is reported to prevail at Nyamati in the Honnali Taluk and Mallenahalli in Shikarpur Taluk.

## KADUR.

8. Market is well supplied.  
 9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in the Mudgere Taluk.

*Standing crops.*—Chikmagalur Taluk—Bengal gram, coriander, garlic, onions and menthya; Kadur Taluk—besige jola, Bengal gram, sugar-cane and wheat; Koppa Taluk—areca, sugar-cane, coffee and pepper; Yedahalli—sugar-cane; Sringeri—sugar-cane. All these crops are reported to be in good condition.

*Crops harvested.*—Chikmagalur Taluk—paddy, coffee, sugar-cane and horse gram, yield 6 to 12 annas; Kadur Taluk—avare, Bengal gram, sugar-cane, ragi, paddy and coriander, yield 8 to 12 annas; Tarikere Taluk—avare, togari, paddy, ragi and Bengal gram, yield 12 annas; Koppa Taluk—areca and paddy, yield 12 annas; Mudgere Taluk—areca, coffee and paddy, yield 4 to 12 annas; Yedahalli—paddy, areca and sugar-cane, yield 8 to 12 annas; Sringeri—areca, paddy and sugar-cane, yield 6 to 12 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.  
 11. Except for plague in a few villages of Tarikere Taluk, the public health is generally good.  
 12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

## CHITALDRUG.

8. Market is well supplied.  
 9. *Standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, paddy, cotton, castor, jola (white), wheat, Bengal gram are reported to be in fair condition.

*Seeds sown.*—Paddy on a small scale in the Challakere Taluk.

*Crops harvested.*—Horse gram in the Holalkere, Davangere, Challakere and Jagalur Taluks 4 to 8 annas; dhal and cotton in the Davangere, Hosdurga and Jagalur Taluks; ragi and jola in the Holalkere and Molakalmuru Taluks 8 annas; ragi, navane sajje and chillies in the Hosdurga Taluk 4 to 8 annas; horse gram and paddy in the Molakalmuru Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.  
 11. Public health is generally good.  
 12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.